

POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT

POSITION: Juvenile Court Probation Officer
LOCATION: 3rd District Juvenile Court
HIRING RANGE: 42- 46/ \$15.17 to \$16.92
TYPE OF POSITION: (2) Full-time positions with benefits
CLOSING DATE: Open until filled

DIRECT APPLICATIONS TO:

Human Resources
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TYPICAL DUTIES: Provides supervision to juvenile offenders who are sentenced to probation by the Juvenile Court and/or performs non-judicial case handling of juvenile offenders referred to the Juvenile Court.

- Prepares treatment and correctional plans for probationers; provides individual counseling and supervision to juveniles and their families. Prepares progress reports on probationers for submission to the Court; prepares written and oral reports for Court.
- Modifies levels of supervision; works toward and recommends release from probation.
- Reviews police reports or written referrals to Juvenile Court to determine if the facts alleged bring the minor within the Court's jurisdiction.
- Screens out those cases not requiring judicial action and makes non-judicial adjustment; arranges voluntary payment of victim restitution; assigns community service hours; determines need for detention.
- Works collaboratively with law enforcement, education, human services officials and other community agencies to organize, develop and deliver services to juveniles and families.
- Performs other related duties as assigned

REQUIRED QUALIFICATIONS: Graduation from college with a bachelor's degree in the behavioral sciences, criminal justice or related field. Knowledge of juvenile behavior and counseling, ability to deal with stressful and emotional situations, and ability to make critical decisions objectively under pressure is also required. Preference will be given to those who are computer literate and have previous experience with juvenile offenders.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS: Willingness to accept exposure to occasional dangerous or threatening situations. Must be able to work a flexible schedule, including evenings and weekends. Requires frequent home and school visits.

Must possess a valid Utah driver's license and have own transportation. Must not exceed 70 total points on individual driving record. Applicants subject to criminal background check. Include a certified transcript with application.

The Utah State Courts is an Equal Opportunity Employer. The courts comply with all state and federal laws prohibiting unlawful discrimination, and provide reasonable accommodation to disabled individuals as required by the ADA.